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26th June 2022

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year C)

Sunday 26th June <i>13th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> Diocesan Prayer Link <i>English Martyrs, Chard with Crewkerne & Ilminster</i>	6.00pm (Sat) Mass Ints of Mary Hicks 9.00am Mass Kate Nash <i>RIP</i> 10.30am Mass Esterina & Bronyslaw Bril <i>RIP</i> <i>Polish Language Mass</i> 12.30pm Mass Eddie & Kathleen Sherlock <i>RIP</i> 5.30pm Mass
Monday 27th June <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time</i>	9.10am Morning Prayer 9.30am Mass Nicola Sepede <i>Anniversary</i>
Tuesday 28th June <i>St Irenaeus</i>	9.30am Mass Renée Taylor 6.00pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 7.00pm Mass Angela Jayatilleke <i>RIP</i>
Wednesday 29th June <i>Saints Peter and Paul</i>	11.00am Exposition of the Blessed sacrament 12.00pm Mass Frank & Kathleen Nash <i>RIP</i>
Thursday 30th June <i>Dedication of the Cathedral Church of Saints Peter and Paul</i>	9.10am Morning Prayer 9.30am Mass Denis Murphy <i>RIP</i>
Friday 1st July <i>St Oliver Plunkett</i>	9.10am Morning Prayer 9.30am Mass John Bradshaw <i>RIP</i> 7.30pm Polish Language Mass
Saturday 2nd July <i>Our Lady on Saturday</i>	10.00am Mass Ints of David Burke 10.45am – 11.30am Confessions 3.30pm Filipino Monthly Mass 5.00pm – 5.30pm Confessions 6.00pm Mass Kathleen Fitzpatrick <i>RIP</i> 7.30pm Polish Language Mass
Sunday 3rd July <i>14th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	9.00am Mass Paul Nash <i>RIP</i> 10.30am Mass Ints of Sue and Christie 12.30pm Polish Language Mass 5.30pm Mass People of the Parish

This Week: Ordinary Time: Week 13. Daily Prayer of the Church: Week 1. Wednesday 29th June is the Solemnity of St Peter and St Paul and is a Holyday of Obligation. Masses are: Vigil mass on Tuesday evening at 7.00pm and Wednesday mass at 12noon, there is a 7.00pm mass at English Martyrs, Tuffley

Last Weekend: Mass Attendance – 654

Offertory - £1359.98 (including £177.00 contactless/online)

Church Cleaning: After Mass on Monday morning, thank you to all those who help each week.

Parish Office: Is closed this week Tuesday to Thursday.

RIP: We ask your prayers for those who have died recently:

Con O'Mahony, who died peacefully at home last Tuesday. Funeral arrangements later.

Eileen Griffiths. Her funeral service takes place in St Peter's Church on Tuesday July 12th at 11.00am.

Heather O'Donoghue. Her funeral mass takes place in St Peter's Church on Friday July 15th at 11.00am.

We extend our sympathy to their families.

Ordination: Rev Joseph Meigh, from Cheltenham, will be ordained to the priesthood for Clifton Diocese in Clifton Cathedral on Saturday July 9th. As both Fr Liam and Fr Stephen will be attending the ordination, there will be no morning mass and no morning confessions in St Peter's Church that day.

Baptisms: We welcome into the family of the church Dante Billingham and Rieko Devereux-Evans who were baptised last weekend.

St Bernadette Relic Tour 2022: In September and October this year, the relics of St. Bernadette will journey on pilgrimage through England, Scotland, and Wales. St. Bernadette's relics will be visiting Clifton Cathedral on Saturday 10th September 2022 for one day. This will be a unique opportunity to experience the special gifts and charisms of Lourdes. Please join us for this special experience, when pilgrims will be able to join us for Mass with anointing of the sick, Torchlight procession, Rosary, and the opportunity to venerate these relics of "The Saint of Lourdes". Exact details will be available soon. See www.cliftondiocese.com.

'Listening with the Heart' - Clifton Diocese Synodal Response: On Wednesday 22nd June, people from across Clifton Diocese gathered at Clifton Cathedral for a Liturgy during which every parish, school, religious community in our diocese were presented with a copy of the Clifton Diocese Synodal Response. In his reflection Bishop Declan's words focused on the overarching themes that emerged from the many responses that the Synod team received. He encouraged us all to see the Synodal journey as a new way to move forward and grow as a Church within Clifton Diocese. The Response is available on the Clifton Diocesan website. A small number of copies are available at the back of the church to be borrowed and returned once read.

SVP: Next meet on **Tuesday 5th July** after the evening mass.

CAFOD: Says a huge thank you for all your support, prayers, and donations for the people of Ukraine. Catholics in England and Wales have donated over £3 million, and this is enabling immediate, practical support – such as the provision of food, clothing, shelter, and transport. Please keep the people of Ukraine and all our brothers and sisters who face daily suffering, in your prayers. Visit cafod.org.uk/UkraineAppeal for more information.

Adoration: You are warmly invited to come and adore the Lord, with live worship led by Tony Wadley, from 7.30pm - 8.30pm on Wednesday 6th July (following Mass at 7pm), at English Martyrs Church, Tuffley Lane, Gloucester, GL4 0NX, either in person or on Zoom using the following link:
<https://zoom.us/j/96050045104?pwd=YWsrTnVXVUJsL2dxMlVhUy9aU1c5UT09> Meeting ID: 960 5004 5104
Passcode: 448036. Come and join for as much of the session as you can.

Summary of the Holy Father's words at the General Audience last Wednesday 22nd June

Dear brothers and sisters: In our continuing catechesis on the meaning and value of old age in the light of God's word, we now consider the words of the Risen Jesus to Peter at the Lake of Tiberias (*Jn* 21:17-18). Peter reaffirms his love for Christ and receives the command to feed the Lord's sheep. Jesus adds, with a reference to Peter's eventual martyrdom: "When you were younger, you used to go wherever you wished; but when you grow old, another will take you where you would not go". These words have a particular meaning for the elderly, since the passing of the years naturally entails physical frailty and heightened dependence on others. At the same time, however, old age can be a time of renewed love for the Lord, hope in his promises, and growth in spiritual wisdom. Jesus goes on to tell Peter not to concern himself with John, the younger disciple, but with persevering in fidelity to his own calling and mission. His words remind us of the need, in life's later years, to make room for the younger generations and to respect their place in the unfolding of the Lord's saving plan. For Christ's disciples, old age can thus be a fruitful season of contemplation, gratitude and witness to the grace of God constantly at work in our lives and in the world around us.

We remember those who have asked for our prayers: Fr Donal Daly, Andrea Brushneen, Sue Hartnett, Margaret Coleman, Marie O'Connor, Pat O'Ryan, David Burke, Cheryl Loy, Natalia Price, Sharon Scott, Christopher Browne, Kathy Smith, Joan O'Connell, Breedge Maguire, Sandra Flanagan, Jean Crickett, Dan Roche, Oliver Cuffe, Michael Casey, Gerry Whelan. In compliance with the requirements of GDPR permission must be sought from an individual (or next of kin) before their name can be added to a list of those who are sick. Do please advise of any changes to be made to this list.